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## POST OFFICE DIRECTORY

J. M. RUSSELL, POSTMASTER.  
H. T. BAKER, DEPUTY POSTMASTER.  
Office hours, week days, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

## COURT DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court—Three sessions a year—Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and third Monday in September.  
Circuit Judge—W. W. Jones.  
Commonwealth's Attorney—N. H. Aaron.  
Sheriff—R. W. Miller.  
Circuit Clerk, J. A. Coffey.

County Court—First Monday in each month.  
Judge—A. M. Russell.  
County Attorney—J. A. Coffey, Jr.  
Clerk—T. E. Bailey.  
Judge—J. K. P. Coffey.  
Assessor—E. W. Horton.  
Surveyor—R. M. McCaffrey.  
School Supt.—W. D. Jones.  
Coroner—C. M. Russell.

Jury Court—Regular court, second Monday in each month.  
Judge—T. C. Davidson.  
Attorney—Gordon Montgomery.  
Marshal—G. T. Flowers.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

### PREBYTERIAN.

BRENTWOOD STREET—Rev. E. M. McCall, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday school at 9 a. m. every Sabbath. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

### METHODIST.

BUCKLE STREET—Rev. E. M. McCall, pastor. Services first Sunday in each month. Sunday school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

### BAPTIST.

CHERRY STREET—Rev. E. M. McCall, pastor. Services third Sunday in each month. Sunday school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday night.

### CHRISTIAN.

CAMPBELL STREET—Rev. E. M. McCall, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night.

### LODGES.

#### MASSONIC.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Regular meeting in their hall, over bank, on Friday night, or when the full moon is in each month.  
W. D. Jones, Secretary.

#### COLUMBIAN CHAPTER, B. A. M., No. 7, meets Friday night after moon.

J. M. Russell, Secretary.

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Fistula, poll evil, splints, spavins or any surgical work done at fair prices. I guarantee satisfaction. I am fixed to take care of stock.

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GROCERS and COMMISSION

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Louisville, Kentucky.

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DENTIST.

SPECIAL attention given to Gold Filling, Crown and Bridge work.

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## Scientific Shoeing.

I am ready to do Black Smithing of any kind, from horse shoeing to the repairing of the finest vehicles. I will make a specialty of shoeing horses with diseased hoofs and guarantee satisfaction. My shop is located back of livery, ask Barbee & Robertson. Give me your work.

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THERE is no better place to stop than at the above named hotel. Good sample rooms, and a first-class table Rates very reasonable. Feed stable attached.

## SIGHTS IN CHICAGO.

### An Interesting Letter Containing Information.

COLUMBIA, Ky., July 12, 1903.

Editor Adair County News:

This is one of a series of letters that I wrote for the Columbia Spectator, while in the city of Chicago, that from account or design, failed to appear in the columns of that journal. The manuscript was lost or destroyed, and I will have to rely on my memory to reproduce it.

One of the most interesting places that I visited in the Windy City was the zoological garden—zoological gardens are always interesting. I saw here animals from the greatest to the least. The elephant is the largest of all known animals in this day and time, and of this species, Chicago has some very fine specimens. There is not much to be said about elephants. Every body has seen them. They are animals remarkably gentle and exceedingly intelligent.

Next to the elephant in size is the western Buffalo. Here I saw some of the largest of these large animals. The Buffaloes that we see in circus shows are nothing in comparison with them. Then we had in this garden sacred bulls, sacred cows and sacred calves—some milk white and some of different colors. Then we had lions, tigers, polar bears, grizzly bears, black bears, wolves, hyenas, panthers, catamounts, wildcats, foxes, coons, opossums and jack-rabbits. Then we had antelopes, deer, elk, harts, roe, and all these beautiful animals are mentioned in the Scriptures. Then, again, could be seen all kinds of water animals and water fowls. Conspicuous among these were the sea-horse, the seal, the beaver, down to the muskrat. Then we found all kinds of land fowls, such as the ostrich, wild turkey, prairie hen, then water fowls—swans, geese, ducks, and birds that inhabit the air, like eagles—bald eagles, American eagles, and, in fact, every thing was to be seen that has ever been seen in the shape of wild animals and tame animals. I have failed to mention many that I did see.

I then visited the Chicago Museum and here I saw everything that I had seen in the zoological garden living; and I saw the skeletons of animals long since extinct, at the head of which stand the mastodon, an animal that is as much about the elephant in size as the elephant is above the ordinary hog. One can form no conception of the gigantic size of this wonderful animal. This museum was started by the wonderful gift to the city of one million dollars by the merchant prince of Chicago, Marshall Field. The building covers several acres of ground, and is a story high. In it can be found reproductions of every thing that was ever seen upon the earth, under the earth or above the earth—figures in wax, or the stuffed skins of animals or however fixed-up. I saw real mummies from Egypt, wax figures of all races of Indians, from the plains of the great west; Indian women mounted upon the stuffed skins of donkeys and ponies, Indian chiefs in all their painted and befeathered liveliness. I saw oriental war chariots with their armed soldiers—like they appeared thousands of years ago—with the warriors dressed in knight's costume, with full coats of armor—like they appeared on the bloody battle field in the days of chivalry. I saw the gods and goddesses of South America and New Mexico with all the paraphernalia of idol worship. I saw polar bears among the ice and snow of the Arctic region, hunting their prey in snow one foot deep. How they represented ice and deep snow that remained always fresh and always deep. I am unable to tell. There are to be seen specimens of mineral wealth from every State in the union, and from every country of the globe, consisting of gold, silver, iron, coal and copper. Also specimens of timber from every country inhabited by man. I saw idol gods made from cedar, brought from New Mexico, which were forty feet high and two feet in diameter, looking like they were one thousand years old. They had, from bottom to top, faces carved on them, representing all sorts of gods, in all sorts of horrors, mad, glad and angry. There were some stuffed skins of zebras, the most beautiful animals that I have ever seen, and almost as large as elephants. I saw turtles that were five feet in diameter. Of course they were dead, but they had all the appearance of laying on their backs being alive. But one of the most interesting things I saw was a map of the United States, about fifteen by twenty-five feet, laid on the floor and made of stone. Each State was represented by a rock taken from its own territory, corresponding in shape and size with the State which it represents. Carved in these stones are the rivers, lakes, creeks and branches. The counties, the towns, with their names, appear on the surface, and every thing usually seen in large United States maps.

I have written enough for one letter, and will tell you in my next of the city of Elkhart and of the many record breakers which I found there. U. L. TAYLOR.

### LYNCH LAW FACTS.

Beginning in 1880, the Chicago Tribune kept a detailed record of lynch-law operations in the United States. Up to Monday last Delaware was one of five States in which mob vengeance had not prevailed over ordinary processes during seventeen and a half years of record. Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Utah now remain on the honorable list of exemption.

Mob law is thus shown to be the distinct manifestation of no section. The Far West has dealt out a great deal of it to horse and cattle thieves. But out of 2,516 lynchings recorded by the Tribune up to the end of 1900, the South furnished 2,080. Of the victims 1,678 were negroes, 501 were whites, 21 females, 2 Chinese and 2 Mexicans. Summary death was the penalty, mob-administered, for 114 different offenses, murder and criminal assault heading the list. One man was lynched for slapping a child, another for jilting a girl. Two paid the penalty for writing insulting letters, two for gambling, three for "being unpopular" and two for practicing "woodsmen."

In 1880, 1888 and 1892 horse-stealing in the West led to a notable swelling of the lists of summary executions.

Even as late as 1901 the lynchings in the Union were seventeen more than the legal executions, the numbers being 130 and 113 respectively.

More than fifty women have been victims of lynching parties.

The Southern States with largest number of recorded lynchings are Mississippi, Texas, Louisiana, Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee. Indiana leads in the North, with 36 mob murders. New Jersey had a lynching in 1886, New York had one in 1892 and another in 1896. Connecticut had one in 1886.

Any legislature that the practice of lynch law is dying out, and that no steps are necessary to restrain it is corrected by the Tribune tables. There were ninety lynchings in 1881 and 135, as stated, in 1901. Between these years the number shifted back and forth, going as high as 235 in 1892.

## HANNA ON THE DRIVERS BOX.

The Constitution sometime ago awarded the fresh-water element in the republic a party to keep an eye on Uncle Marcus Hanna. Perhaps they did so and have been greatly edified by the swift and easy way in which he mounted once more the driver's box of the republican tally-ho and means to manage the coming presidential campaign in his own and only familiar fashion. It is all very well that the president is a clever rough rider, but Uncle Marcus is a sapient enough to see that republican victory next year is not to be gained by the stampeding and rounding-up methods of the cowboy cult. He is present enough to know that the road over which he has plotted the republican chariot a couple of times is very narrow and very treacherous at many points. He knows that at certain well defined points the driver has got to "go slow and mighty keener!"

The understanding of these things have made him determine to take a third term on the box and the backing he was able to summon shows that he has got to "go slow and mighty keener!"

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## RECENT STORMS AND FLOODS.

May 30—One killed and four injured in southern Indiana cyclone.

May 30—Two killed and one injured in Texas cyclone.

May 21—Three killed and twelve injured in three cyclones which swept across Indiana and Ohio.

May 21—Twenty-five killed in cyclone in Clay county, Kansas.

May 24—Eleven killed and ten injured in windstorms throughout Ohio, Indiana and Nebraska.

May 24 and 25—Nineteen killed and twenty injured in seven cyclones and tornadoes in the Mississippi valley. The storms were formed in Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska and caused estimable loss of property.

May 25—One killed and damage of \$500,000 caused by cyclone in Chicago.

May 26—Eighteen killed by cyclone which wiped out town of Elmo, Mo.

May 26—Six killed and eighteen injured by three tornadoes in Iowa; damage \$200,000. The storms extended to southeastern Nebraska, where damage was caused to the amount of \$500,000.

May 26—Three killed at St. Joseph, Mich., by tidal wave on Lake Michigan.

May 27—Three killed and six injured in wind and rain storms at Logansport, Kekoma and Hammond, Ind.; loss, \$1,000,000.

May 27—Five hundred made homeless by flood at Sioux City and Webster City, Iowa.

May 28 and 29—Seven dead and \$2,000,000 loss at Des Moines on account of flood.

May 30 to June 6—Eighty-two persons dead as result of flood at Topeka, Kas., millions of dollars' loss (estimated).

May 30 to June 6—Fifteen dead and thousands homeless in flood at Kansas City, Mo.; loss, millions (estimated). Flood at Armourdale caused loss estimated at \$100,000.

May 30 and 31—Millions of cattle in southeastern Nebraska inundated; damage, millions (estimated).

June 1—One hundred killed and damage of about \$200,000 caused by cyclone at Gainesville, Ga.

June 2—Hannibal, Mo., flood damage, \$2,000,000.

June 3 to 6—Twenty lives lost and \$500,000 damage done by floods at Venice, Madison and Granite City, Ill.

June 3 to 6—Eleven killed and 100,000 damage by flood at East St. Louis, Ill.

June 6—One hundred killed, 500 homeless and damage of \$3,500,000 in flood at Paelet, Clinton and Glenfield, S. C.

June 10—Seven dead and great property loss caused by cloudburst at Bisbee, Ariz.

June 15—Fifteen hundred killed in the destruction of the town of Heppner, Ore., by a cloudburst; property loss, \$1,000,000.

## ELKS CONVENTION AT BALTIMORE.

The grand reunion of Elks which is scheduled for Baltimore, July 21-23, will, beyond a doubt, surpass all former conventions of this Order in point of attendance.

The Baltimore lodge is preparing to outdo itself in the entertainment of visiting Elks from Kentucky, Indiana, and the Western States.

The Interstate and Territorial Association of Elks, which include the lodges from Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories, has arranged for a special train for this occasion, which from the point of elegance will be the finest train that ever passed through the state of Kentucky.

This train, composed of one sixty-four baggage commissary car, two tourist sleepers, five standard sleepers, one observation sleeper and as many additional sleeping and chair cars as necessary, all of wide vestibule pattern and the finest equipment turned out by the Pullman Company, will leave Kansas City, Saturday, July 18th, at 10:50 p. m. over the Wabash Railroad to St. Louis, from that point over the popular Henderson route, making stops at Evansville, Henderson and Owensboro for the benefit of the Indiana and Kentucky Elks and their friends, arriving at Louisville Sunday evening, July 19th at 6:15 p. m., where supper will be served at the Louisville Hotel.

From Louisville the route will be over the scenic C. & O. R. Y. train leaving at 7:50 p. m. arriving in Baltimore early in the afternoon of the 23rd. Reservations have already been made for over two hundred Elks on this train.

## STATE NEWS.

William Young, aged 22 years, a prominent young man of Ashland, was drowned in the river at that place while bathing.

Reuben Jones drowned himself in a ditch at Owensboro. He left a note saying he was out of work and was old to live.

Nora Holder, an inmate of the Clark county poorhouse, tried to commit suicide by leaping into a rain barrel. The attempt was not a success, and she was tried for lunacy. The jury thought she was sane, however, and she was sent back to the county farm.

Mr. Pulaski Leeds, Superintendent of machinery of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, who was shot in the office at Louisville by George Warner, who shot himself, is dead.

While cutting oats with a binder for C. C. Spillman in Warren county, the team, driven by Dick White, colored, ran away. The driver was thrown from his seat and in front of the binder. He rolled with the machine forty yards, and when found was literally cut to pieces and dead. The binder was wrecked and team more or less injured.

The Democratic State Central Committee adopted a resolution approving and confirming the Democratic Committee in Jefferson county as against the Whallen Committee. The resolution also approved the Hedger Committee in Lexington. A campaign committee was appointed with S. W. Hager as chairman. Senator J. C. Blackburn and J. H. Hazelrigg, the latter of Frankfort, were named for the Seventh district.

Representative James of the First Kentucky district, now in Washington, expresses confidence that the democrats will present a united front in the presidential campaign and that a national as well as a Kentucky victory for the party seems assured.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF COLUMBIA.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 30th DAY OF JUNE, 1903.

### RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$12,700 00
Overdrafts, secured	800 00
Overdrafts, unsecured	1,000 00
Due from National Banks	\$11,800 41
Due from State Banks and Banks	31,350 39
Banking house and real estate	42,041 90
Mortgages	2,000 00
Other stocks and bonds	14,175 98
Specie	86,203 10
Currency	9,950 00
Other items carried as cash	10 25
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Quarterly Expenses	\$90 48
Give description, location, value, and how long owned, all real estate, except banking house and land. If any owned longer than five years, Don't own any.	
Due from State of Kentucky	134 44
	\$251,390 44

### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash	\$30,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided Profits	10,000 00
Deposits subject to check on which interest is not paid	1,800 00
Due National Banks	11,800 41
Due State Banks and Banks	31,350 39

### SUPPLEMENTARY.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, per centum, company or firm (including in the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly of such indebtedness (including in the liability of the individual members thereof) exceed 10 per cent of paid-up capital stock of bank. None.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer (if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of paid-up capital stock of bank. None.

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, (including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof) exceed 10 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus? No.

Amount of total dividend—\$1,200 00

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring a dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent of profit of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? Yes.

### STATE OF KENTUCKY.

JOSEPH COFFEY, Cashier of the Bank of Columbia, a bank located and doing business in the town of Columbia, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true and correct statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1903, the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 30th day of June, 1903, as the day on which such report shall be made. Subscribed and sworn to before me by JOSEPH COFFEY the 1st day of July, 1903.

W. A. COFFEY, N. P. & C. Ky.

Commission expires January 1904.

JOSEPH COFFEY, Cashier.

JAMES GARDNER, Director.

W. W. JONES, Director.

R. F. PARRIS, Director.

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Reported by the Louisville Live Stock Exchange, Bourbon Stock Yards.

### CATTLE.

Extra shipping	\$1 00 @ \$9 00
Light shipping	4 35 @ \$9 00
Best butchers	4 35 @ \$9 00
Fair to good butchers	3 75 @ \$9 00
Common to medium butchers	3 25 @ \$9 00

### HOGS.

Choice packing and butchers, 200 to 300 lbs.	6 05
Fair to good packing, 100 to 200 lbs.	6 05
Good to extra light, 120 to 160 lbs.	6 05

### SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Good to extra shipping	3 75 @ \$9 00
Fair to good	3 25 @ \$9 00
Common to medium	2 50 @ \$9 00

### Swallowed Diamonds.

When a smuggler of diamonds is hard pressed, he will swallow them. They are then liable to cause much annoyance. It would be better to take Dr. King's new pills especially for constipation and stomach troubles. Better than diamonds for your health, besides they are gentle. Only 35 cents at all druggists.

## THOUSANDS SAVED BY DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY.

This wonderful medicine positively cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pneumonia, Hay Fever, Flu, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup and Whooping Cough. Every bottle guaranteed. No Quack. No Pay. Price 50c & \$1. Trial bottle free.

## MADSTONE.

I have an Excellent MADSTONE which has been tried in about one hundred cases of hydrophobia and snake bites, with good results. I can cite you to many of the cases. Write or call on me at DELWORTH, Ky.

J. A. DULWORTH

## TRY OLD PORT JAVA - COFFEE

FULL ROAST, WINE BODY and DELICIOUS FLAVOR.

Each 1-pound carton contains a silver-plated tablespoon. The tablespoons will be distributed after the reputation of OLD PORT JAVA is established. Ask your grocer.

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WED. JULY 22, 1903.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor,

J. C. W. BECKHAM.

For Lieutenant Governor,

W. P. THORNE.

For Auditor of State,

S. W. HAGEP.

For Treasurer,

H. M. ROSWORTH.

For Attorney General,

B. H. HAYS.

For Secretary of State,

H. V. MCCHESNEY.

For Sept. of Public Instruction,

J. H. FUQUA.

For Commissioner of Agriculture,

HUBERT VREELAND.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals,

MORGAN CHINN.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

HON. C. C. MCCHORD

The Republicans of Kentucky have nominated a man for Governor who is so selfish that the fencing about his landed estate is put together so closely that a rabbit cannot get through, and too high for a poor man to climb. In other words he is an aristocrat, a man of wealth who feels that money makes the man, but while he may wear the high silk hat and use a gold-headed cane, yet he is a fine business man and will make a strong race. A new convert to the Republican party, a new convert from the cash department of a large hardware business into the frothy turmoil of political ambition and modern politics, relying mainly on the cohesive power of the almighty dollar to crown his ambitions with success and become Governor of Kentucky. Mr. Belknap has successfully engineered his battle up to date in opposition to some of the strongest and most astute politicians within his party. He captured the organization in Louisville and converted it to his own use. He has the backing of Sapp and Sapp works for results. It is not a question now days as to the means used but only the ends accomplished. We presume that the aforesaid nominee suits the Republicans in this part of the state, that he will make a strong race, but after the smoke of battle has cleared off, when the campaign has passed into the beyond and the results become cold facts, it will appear that there was another man in the race, the nominee of the Democratic party, who stands on his own record and achieves great victories. Mr. Beckham has never been defeated. He successfully met and defeated the high stepper of Boyle, three years ago, and will defeat the city aristocrat with an increased majority. Democrats are not indifferent to the interest of their party and State and are satisfied with our ticket and ready for the fray with the common political antagonist. The naming of a good ticket by the Republicans does not excite Democratic terror, but exhilarates and enshrouds hope and determination. We accept our ticket and no murmurs are heard and it is pleasing to note that the opposition have their first troubles ended.

An Ex-Democrat heads the Republican ticket in the State and outside of being a new convert it is alleged that he has the cold cash "to make the mare go."

### CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.

At a meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee at Frankfort, the state nominees were asked by the committee to recommend a state campaign committee to take charge of the party's affairs until after the election. Governor Beckham, as spokesman for the other candidates, submitted the following list, which was adopted without discussion:

Chairman—S. W. Hager. Judge J. E. Robinson, of Graves; I. M. Lassing, of Boone; the Hon. Lewis McQuinn, of Bowling Green; the Hon. John A. Fulton, of Nashville; the Hon. Henry Prewitt, of Mt. Sterling.

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The Democratic State Central Committee decided last week that Messrs. Bell and Hardin, of Mercer county, were the nominees for Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney in the thirteenth judicial district. Messrs. Sausley and Oswley gracefully submitted, promising their hearty support to the successful contestants. The district is in good shape, hence the election of Bell and Hardin is a foregone conclusion.

Maj. Ed Hughes, who for many years was chief of the Fire Department, Louisville, was killed by an electric car Saturday.

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# GOV. DURBIN'S LAWLESSNESS.

Call in the searching parties. The right man to be nominated for vice president on the republican ticket is found. The northern press is filled with laudation of Governor Durbin, of Indiana, for getting his troops to Evansville after the war was over and then refusing to let the courts of justice deal with the case according to its constitutional jurisdiction. In all which he only revamps his bad conduct, was in the Governor Taylor case from Kentucky, and proves that he is himself as lawless as any man who was a party to the mob that rioted in Evansville.

His disregard of the rights of the judiciary department of the state makes him all the more persona grata with a party and newspapers that believe in imperial methods of dealing with all questions that affect the state and nation. He would it admirably into the ticket to be presented by that party to the country next year. He would be a brilliant example and exponent of the "higher law" which is, in the northern conscience, always superior to constitutional and statutory law.

The constitution does not say these things individually. The facts in Durbin's case are too plain to be missed by any fair-sighted citizen. We would say as much against the same methods, if practiced by any other governor in any section of the union.

Governor Durbin, by his treatment of the Evansville case and courts, has done more to bring orderly proceedings and judicial authority into contempt than the mob did or could. He has overriden both the oath and a coordinate branch of the state government. In doing so he seems to have earned the applause of the leading republicans of his nation.—Atlanta Constitution.

With seeming sincerity President Roosevelt announced that there should be a full investigation of the alleged rottenness in the Post Office department. In the face of this announcement the public had a right to expect that an effort would be made to purify the service, and lift this department of the government clear of the scandals that attach to it. If the investigation is being prosecuted the public has no information of it, for the President has instructed the Postmaster General to give out nothing along this line. It is said that the President was prompted to this course, by the advice of Clarkson, Platt and other practical politicians. If they can prevent it, they do not intend the administration shall be embarrassed in this way. They are afraid of its effect on the coming presidential election.—Georgetown Times.

An exchange says: There is no use worrying, fretting and losing sleep because someone has found fault with what you do. 'Tis the common lot of man in business. The merchant doesn't please all his customers; the postmaster is cuffed and kicked for alleged mistakes; the railroad agent is frequently backed up in a corner and given to understand this and the other thing; the butcher is forever reminded of the tough steak, and even the minister finds it hard to please all the congregation with his best sermons. If you do not believe this ask these men. The newspaper man gets more than his share of it and is expected to get out a cheerful newspaper all the same. A man befriends another for years and is turned down and abused. Such things are not pleasant, but they always have been and always will be, and the man who goes through them the easiest is the one who pays the least attention to them and goes right along trying to be pleasant and useful.

## BOYGRAPHS.

As a rule many boys have many fathers, and always have womanly mothers.

If fathers realized that their boys walked in their footsteps they might try to take some of the kinks out of their paths.

The worst fight a boy ever encounters is that which confronts him when he undertakes to ask her for the first time if he can "see her home."

When father and son are companions both are made better by the fact.

The boy's bedroom should be one of the brightest, lightest and most cheerful rooms in the house.

Boys are never made bad by being given plenty of good books to read.

When a business man receives a statement from a wholesale house—and he receives many—he sometimes finds on the statement that unless paid by a certain date a sight draft will be drawn for the amount due, and no excuses are made for sending the statement. The business man has to move about and pay up the bill. But when the business man sends out statements to those owing him, in an effort to raise money to pay his bills, what takes place many times? The person receiving the statement takes it as an insult and grows exceedingly hot. The person who does this should engage in business and in a short time would get over his foolishness. The sending out of statements and the collecting of accounts is one of the most important parts of business and those who neglect it will sooner or later become short of money.

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## DIED.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Collins and claimed as his own their darling baby, age eighteen months and ten days. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord. Jesus saw best to take him home where there is no sickness and trouble and where partings never come.

Rev. Nathan Murrell officiated at the burial.

## Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golubick of Colusa, Calif., writes, "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across electric bottles and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by druggist.

Lafayette Brooks, of Morgan county, one of the most notorious convicts in the Frankfort penitentiary, attempted to commit suicide by leaping from the third story of the shoe factory, a distance of 40 feet. He sustained injuries which it is believed will prove fatal. Brooks figured in the outbreak at the Frankfort penitentiary last year, when Wallace Bishop, a fellow convict, was killed.

## KENTUCKY FAIRS.

Kirkville, July 17, 3 days.  
Crab Orchard, July 22, 4 days.  
Georgetown, July 21, 5 days.  
Cynthiana, July 29, 4 days.  
Guthrie, July 29, 4 days.  
Danville, August 4, 4 days.  
Lexington, August 10, 6 days.  
Pera Creek, August 18, 4 days.  
Lawrenceburg, August 18, 4 days.  
Shepherdsville, August 18, 4 days.  
Russell Springs, Aug. 11, 4 days.  
Columbia Fair August 18, 4 days.  
Mayville, August 18, 4 days.  
Springfield Fair, August 26-four days.  
Liberty, August 26.  
Shelbyville, August 26, four days.  
Bardonia, September 1, 5 days.  
Nicholasville, September 1, 4 days.  
Somerset, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4.  
Ellisburghtown, September 8, 4 days.  
Bryling Green September 18, 4 days.  
Kentucky State Fair, Owensboro, September 21, 6 days.  
Henderson, September 29, 5 days.

## Married in Death's Shadow.

It often happens that a couple is united in marriage when one is afflicted with consumption or a deep-seated cough or cold. There's danger in this is marrying in the shadow of death. Immediate steps should be taken to expel the trouble. There's nothing will so quickly remove the danger as Dr. King's new discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. It's equally safe and sure for lung and throat troubles. Cure is guaranteed by druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## BIG BUILDINGS

For Live Stock at Kentucky State Fair. Owensboro Making Great Preparations For The Big Fall Attraction.

The preparations now in progress both at the Louisville headquarters and at Owensboro indicate that the State Fair which begins at Owensboro on September 21st, will be the biggest event of the kind ever attempted south of the Ohio river.

Aside from the long and splendid list of amusements, to which has now been added the famous Dr. Garver and his show, and also races, without pool selling, the Fair will be an education to all persons interested in Live Stock, Agriculture, Horticulture, Mining and House hold work.

Contracts have just been let for nine cattle barns with a capacity of 600 cattle; five stables with a capacity of 500 horses; two buildings with a capacity of 300 sheep; two buildings with a capacity of 400 swine; one poultry house with a capacity of 1,500 birds; one mineral exhibit hall, which is a new feature, and one office building. The amphitheatre has a capacity of 10,000 and is one of the largest in the United States.

Graham Vreeland,  
Press Manager.

## PROGRAM.

The following is the program for the Adair County Sunday-School Convention to be held at Cave Valley, Saturday, July 25:  
Devotional exercises, W. S. Dudgeon.  
Remarks by the president.  
Value of Sunday-School, Rev. W. H. O. Sandilands and P. R. Wiley.  
General Sunday-School work, T. C. Gebeaur.  
General field worker for the State.

Qualifications of officers and teachers, O. P. Rider and Pendleton Scruggs.  
Preparation of lesson, T. C. Gebeaur.  
General Sunday-School work, W. K. Ashill and T. C. Gebeaur.  
Duty of parents with reference to Sunday-school, G. B. Breeding and U. L. Taylor.

Sunday-school work in the common schools, E. N. Metcalfe and Mrs. Mary Smythe Biggs.  
Effect of Sunday-schools on citizenship, Jas. Garrett, Jr., and L. L. Mullen.  
Election of officers.

The convention will be opened promptly at 9:30 a. m.

There will be dinner on the ground. The ladies are requested to furnish music which will be interspersed through the proceedings.  
Leading speakers will be allowed ten minutes on the subjects mentioned in the program, and every one present will be requested to speak five minutes on any subject named.

By the Executive Committee.

It has been learned that the defense in the trial of Curtis Jett and Tom White may ask for a continuance at Cynthiana on the ground that the evidence as given in the preceding trial has not been furnished them. Ed Odear, the stenographer, says the manuscript has been in readiness for a week and there has been no call for it. Judge Osborne is said to be of the opinion that a postponement cannot be secured.

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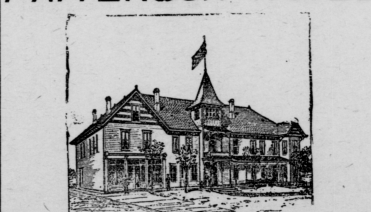
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